

Hope Star

THE WEATHER
Arkansas: Mostly cloudy today, clearing in west and north portions, tonight partly cloudy, Thursday, colder; snowfall possible, Friday, 10° west and north, 25 to 30 in southeast portion tonight.

HOPE, ARKANSAS, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1943 O

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Three Nazi Warships Sunk

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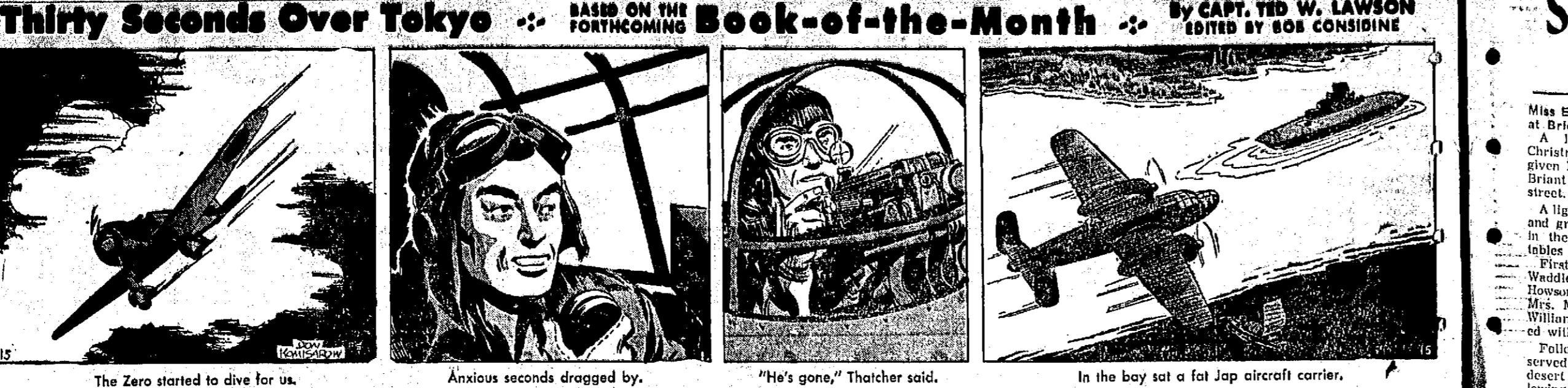
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AIRCRAFT CORPS
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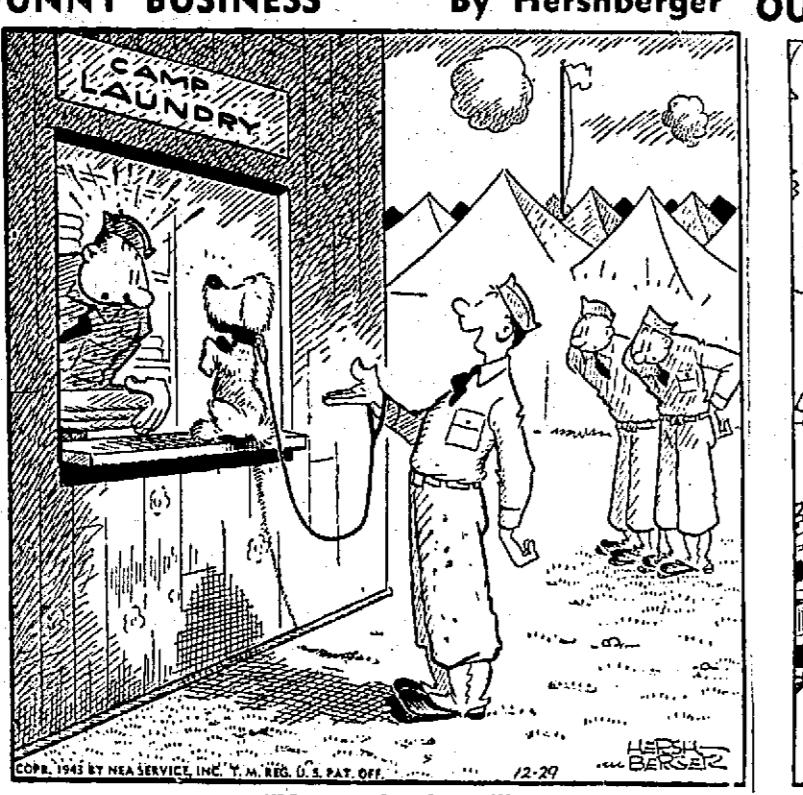
Anxious seconds dragged by.

He's gone, Thatcher said.

"What do you want to be an airplane mechanic for? It's easy," he said.
I saw him," he said. "I was relieved, until I thought again about the turret. I told Thatcher to tell me when he wanted me to turn on the emergency power. Five or six interphone messages later, he turned on the light and sat the biggest, fattest looking aircraft carrier we had ever seen. It was encircled, and there did not seem to be a man in sight. It was an awful temptation not to get off the plane and just jump overboard. But I decided to wait to do those bombs that I decided to go on. We had one objective—Tokyo. And it was just ahead. (Continued tomorrow)

SIDE GLANCES

Remember, sergeant, keep her out of drafts! She catches cold easily, and I don't want her to start the new year with a runny nose!"

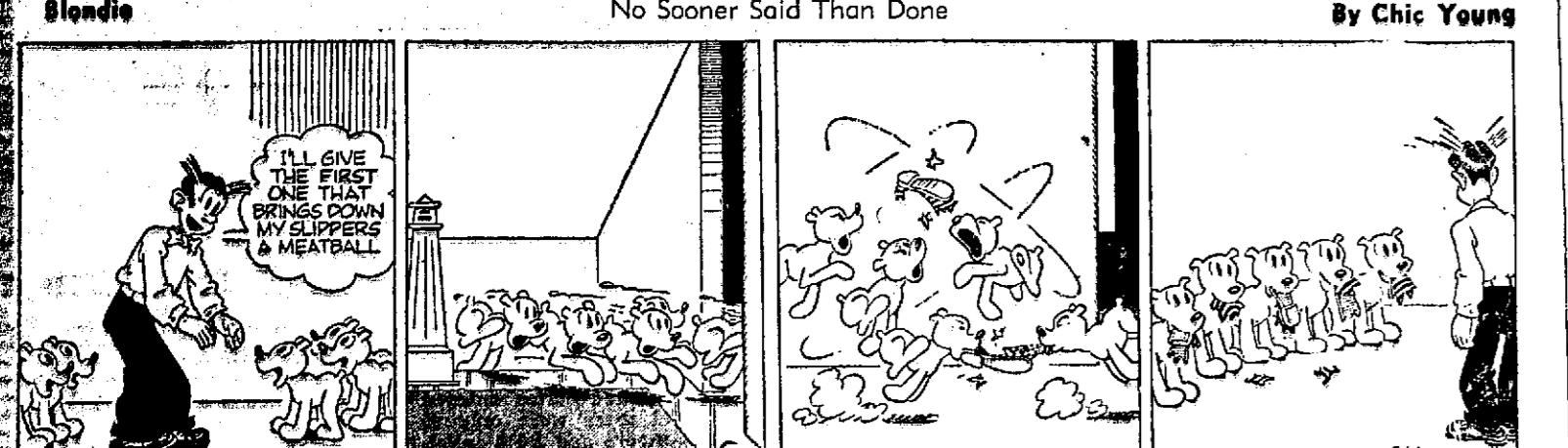
FUNNY BUSINESS**OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople**

I CUT OUT SOME OF THE CLIPPING RECIPES FOR YOU. MEN WANTED FOR SNOW SHOVELING. I DON'T SUPPOSE THAT'S ALSO ONE OF MY WEAKNESSES, BEER POT PIE.

JAKE'S ALWAYS REMINDING MARTHA TO TELL OVER HERE A WEDDING PRESENT. I BROKE IT YESTERDAY. HE BROKE IT YESTERDAY. I KIN KEEP HIM SOLDIERIN' IN APPLIN' FER ONE!

DISPATCHES TO THE WAR BUREAU? WHY, NOBODY CAN UNDERSTAND SUCH CHICKEN TRACKS!

THAT'S TH' WAY I WANT IT! MY ARMY WANTS A FURLOUGH AN' I DON'T WANT IT! I KIN KEEP HIM SOLDIERIN' IN APPLIN' FER ONE!

OUT OUR WAY**By J. R. Williams****Wash Tubs****By Leslie Turner****Red Rider****By Fred Harmon****Boots and Her Buddies****By Edgar Martin****Blondie****By Chic Young****Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo** :: BASED ON THE FORTHCOMING Book-of-the-Month :: BY CAPT. TED W. LAWSON EDITED BY BOB CONSIDINE**Social and Personal**

Doris Dorothy Heard, Editor
Phone 768 Between 8 & 9 a.m. and 4 & p.m.

Miss Evelyn Bryant is visiting

Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Garland and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pankey of Emmett, Okla.

A lighted Christmas tree, canapes, and greenery completed the decor in the living room where three generations of the family were gathered.

First prize went to Miss Mary Waddell, second to Mrs. Frank McDonald, third to Mrs. Dell Williams, bride-elect, was present with her newlyweds.

Following the games the hosts served punch and cake in a desert course with tea to follow, the guests enjoying the refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. James House are the parents of a son born yesterday, December 19, at the Josephine hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Cato, Hope, Ark., were granted a divorce January 3 from the 24-year-old former mechanics school at Kresser Field, Blackwell, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Turner of Stanton, Okla., announce the arrival of a daughter, Shirley Lynn, born November 20. Mr. and Mrs. Turner of Hope are the paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd McMoh and Mrs. S. V. F. Vieyra in Arkadelphia are guests of the Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McElroy.

After a holiday visit with his parents, W. O. Beene, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Beene, returned to Sheppard Field, Texas.

There were 300 strikes last November, but only 144 in December. The men have comforted themselves by watching movies. The cooks would outfit themselves and the commanding officer would be the star.

The story begins last summer when Lt. Col. Simon Bolivar Buckner, commanding general of the Alaska Defense Command, was engaged in a nice military juggling act with the Japanese. He had been sent to Alaska and after some time had fortifying the 80-mile sweep around Dutch Harbor.

Umnak and Cold Bay were ready.

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More Emphasis Placed on Air Support for Invasion

Market Report

Classified

Razorbacks Win Opening Game of Eastern Tour

Check Sabotage by Rats

that it would rather wait until next year's harvest election, when it will have at least a fighting chance (depending on developments before then) of putting its two men into the White House.

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press Today's Year Ago

Survey showed that New York state benefited by \$10,401,932.92 from taxes on racing, trotting and harness racing last year.

Three Years Ago

University of Missouri university won one-mile sugar bowl run with clocking of 4:15, defeating Walter Mehl and Chuck Fenske.

Walt Olt signed New York Giant contract for 1939 season at estimated salary of \$20,000.

For Sale

WOOD FOR SALE. PHONE 221, 14-130.

1938 DELUXE 4-DOOR FORD. Five door five. Clean. Call A. L. Hargis at 1039-W after 6 p. m. Price \$1,200.00. Call 23-615.

50 ACRE FARM ON COLUMBUS ROAD. Good improvements. Alma M. Robbins, Mount Valley, Arkansas.

23-129.

TWIN BEDS WITH INNER-SPRING mattresses. Cobb's Mattress Co., 712 West 4th St., 44-45.

140 ACRE FARM. ONE HOUSE, barn, good pasture, one-half mile from city limits, on good highway, 10 miles from town. \$24,000. Fred Portierfield, Hope, 24-86.

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